(b) if so, by when these new members (Experts) would be included?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) to (b) In terms of Paragraph 1.3 of the Resolution No. 371/20/90-AVD.III dated 13.8.2002 of the Department of Personnel & Training, two Vigilance Commissioners are to be appointed by the President on the recommendation of a Committee comprising the Prime Minister as the Chairperson, and the Home Minister and the Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha as Members. On the basis of the recommendations made by this Committee on 19.8.02, Shri Janki Ballabh, former Chairman of the State Bank of India, has joined as Vigilance Commissioner in the Central Vigilance Commission on 5.11.02.

Restoration of LTC facilities

2311. SHRI ANIL SHARMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal for restoration of LTC facilities to Government employees serving in different places including those in Himachal Pradesh, Punjab and Jammu & Kashmir.

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) what action Government propose to take in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of (a) above.

Raids conducted by CBI

2312. SHRI ABANI ROY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CBI had conducted raids on the premises of public servants all over the country on the 8th November, 2002;